## USDA Dietary Supplement Ingredient Database (DSID): Adult Multivitamin/Mineral Study

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## Why a Dietary Supplement Ingredient Database (DSID)?

Need for research on relationships between health and use of dietary supplements

#### **Public health concerns:**

- Excessive or deficient intakes of nutrients
- Exposure to other bioactive constituents
- Possible interaction with drugs

## Goals for Dietary Supplement Ingredient Database

- To develop reliable estimates of nutrients and other bioactive components in Dietary Supplements
- To assess variability and/or possible bias in nutrient levels for DS
- To release and maintain publicly available on-line DS database

#### **Vision for DSID**

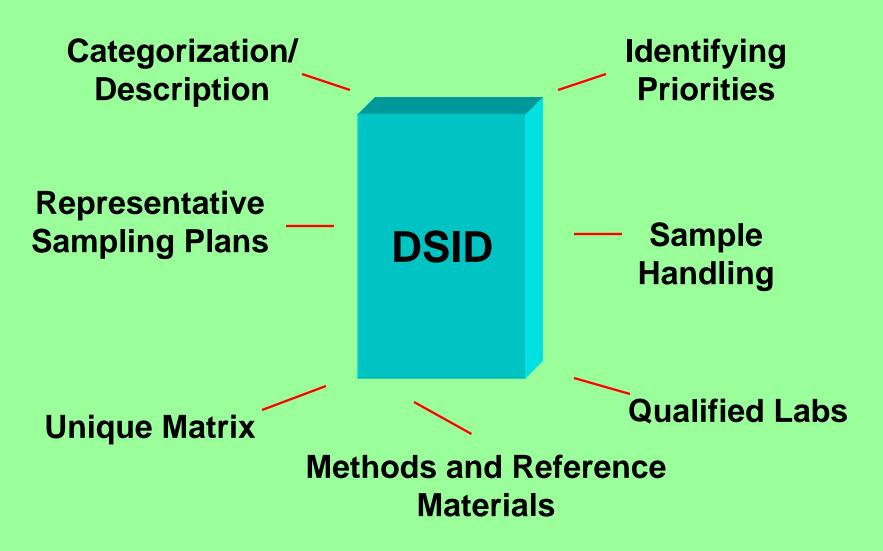
- Data for top-reported DS products based on lab analyses
- Probability-based sampling plan to obtain products to be analyzed
- Statistical applications to products in similar categories

#### **Database Format**

#### **DSID** vision:

- Nutrient estimates by product name
- Values for individual nutrients
- Values for nutrients for default and generic products
- Mean values & indicators of variability
- Documented sources of data

### **Key Challenges**



### **Pilot Study Results**

Set priorities for nutrients and products:

- public health significance
- availability of valid methods & SRMs
- federal research projects
   Identified experienced labs and methods
- assessed lab variability
   Reviewed sample handling protocols
   Developed quality control materials

### **Defining a MVM**

#### **Definition based upon**

- Pills, capsules, tablets
- Number of vitamins and minerals
- "Specialty" MVM differentiation
- Functions or types of MVM

# Adult MVM Study question: How do different products labeled at the same % Daily Value (DV) level compare?

What level of confidence exists with labeled nutrient values?



## Adult MVM "% DV" Study Objectives

- To determine if any systematic relationship exists among MVM.
- To assess variability across products
- To evaluate the % DV approach as aid in planning future studies

### Adult MVM % DV Study Design

- Used NHANES '01-02 MVM records (n=541)
- Chose products at 3 most common DV levels for 23 nutrients.
- Analyzed 6 products from each DV level, total 219 products.
- Double Lot component: Analyzed 4 key nutrients for 3 products at 3 DV levels, total 36 products.

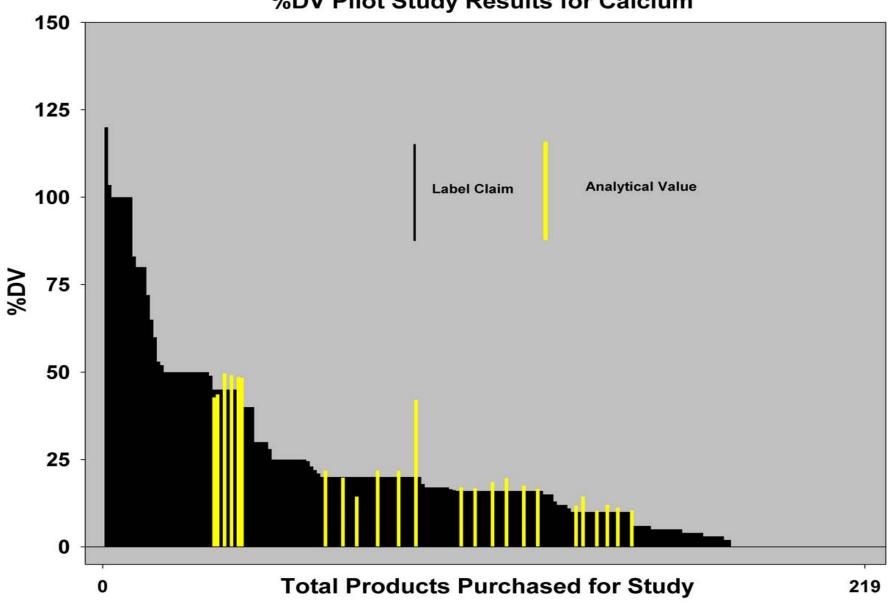
### Adult MVM "% DV" Product Characteristics

- DV levels ranged from 2% to 6666%
- Most common DV level was 100% for 16 of the 23 nutrients
- 66% of the products were 1 pill per day, while 10% of products were 4 or more daily

## Preliminary Key Findings from % DV Study

#### **PRELIMINARY**

%DV Pilot Study Results for Calcium



## Calcium Label Vs. Analyzed Value

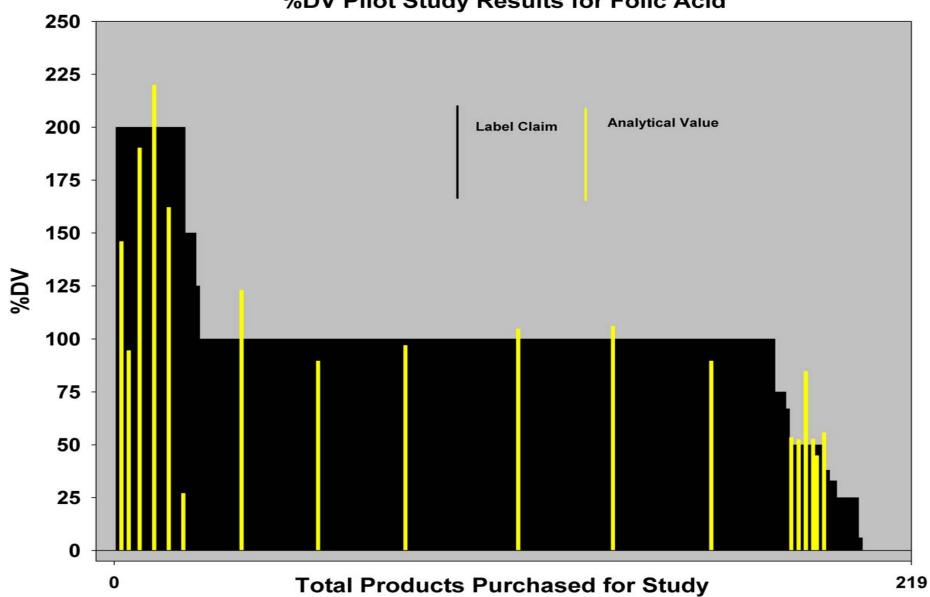
- Labeled % DV ranged from 0 to 120%
- DV levels studied were 10,16,20,40
- Analyzed values for 16 out of 24 products were within <u>+</u>20% of labeled DV values

## Folic Acid Label vs. Analyzed Value

- Labeled % DV ranged from 0 to 200%
- DV levels studied were 50, 100, 200
- Analyzed values for 14 out of 18 products were within <u>+</u>20% of labeled DV values

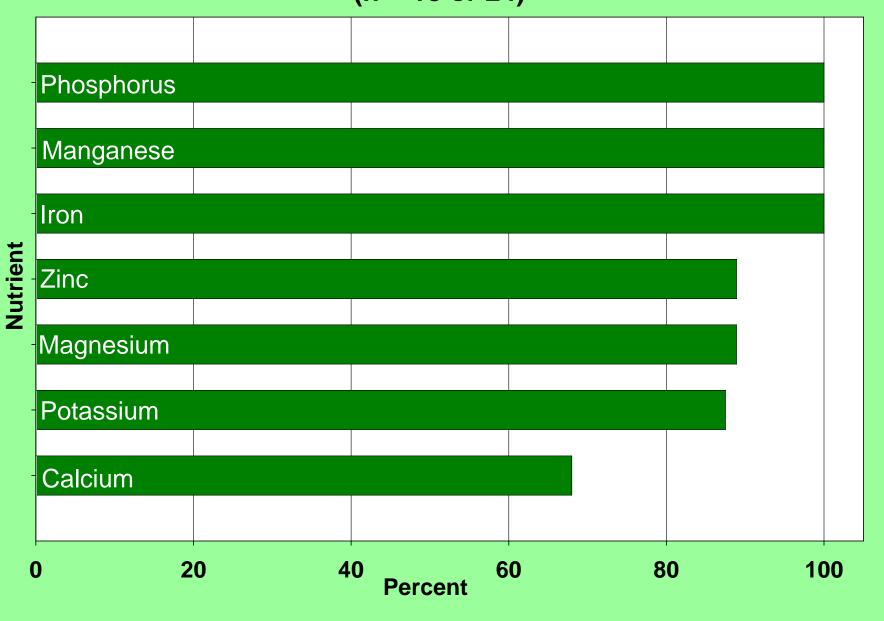
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#### %DV Pilot Study Results for Folic Acid

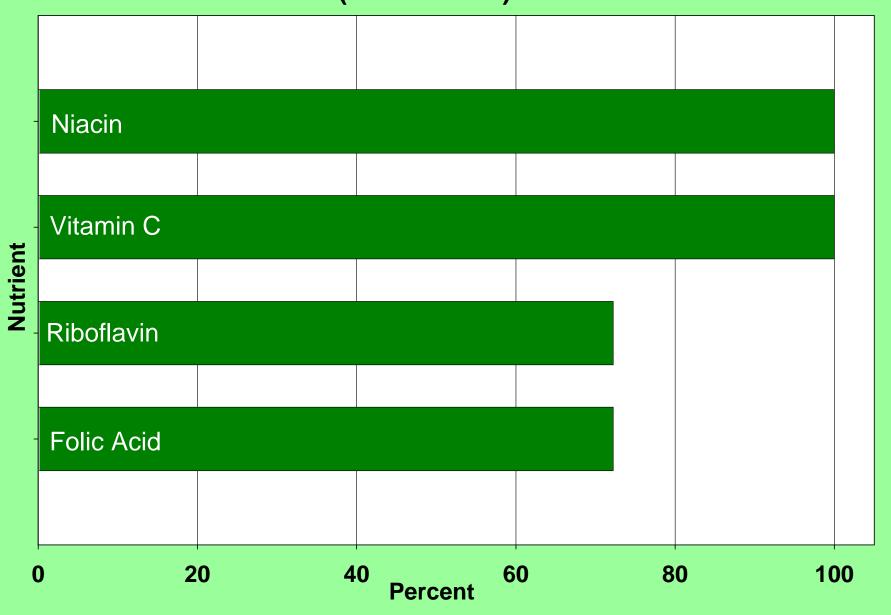


### **Key Findings of % DV Study**

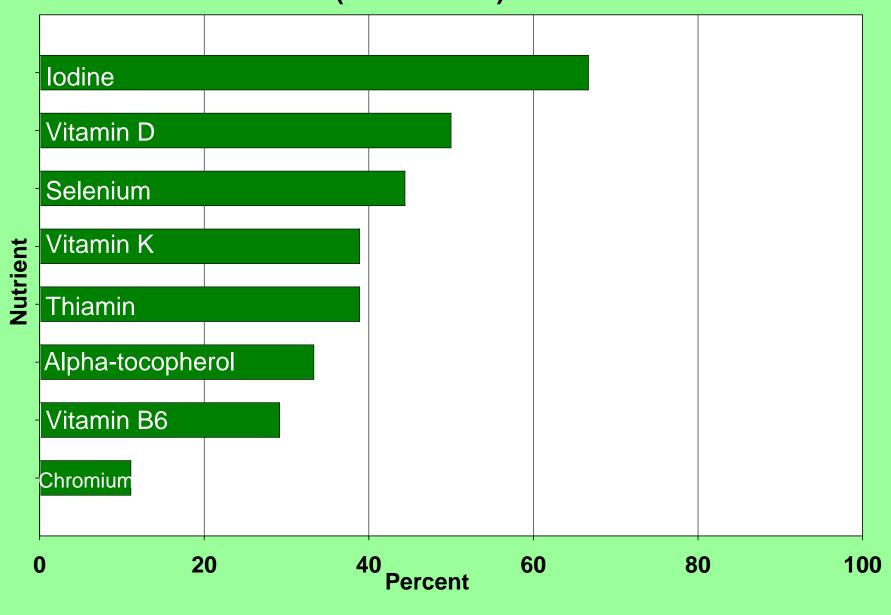
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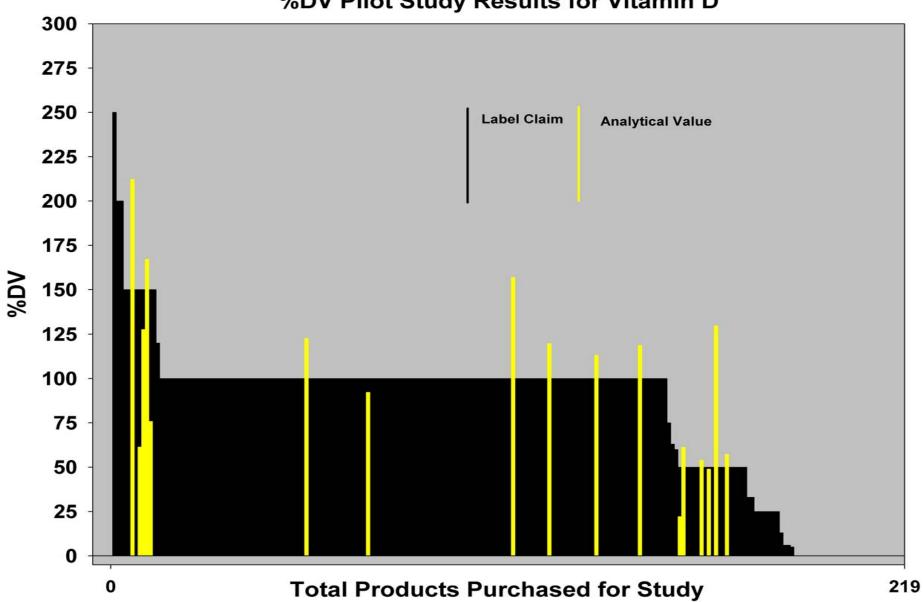


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#### **PRELIMINARY**

#### %DV Pilot Study Results for Vitamin D



## Vitamin D Label vs. Analyzed Value

- Labeled % DV ranged from 0 to 250%
- DV levels studied were 50, 100, 150
- Analyzed values for 9 out of 18 products were within <u>+</u>20% of labeled DV values

# Key Findings of Double Lot Study: Preliminary summary

Lot-to-lot variability was generally ≤ lab variability for the 4 nutrients in the double lot study.

### Comprehensive Adult MVM Study Objectives

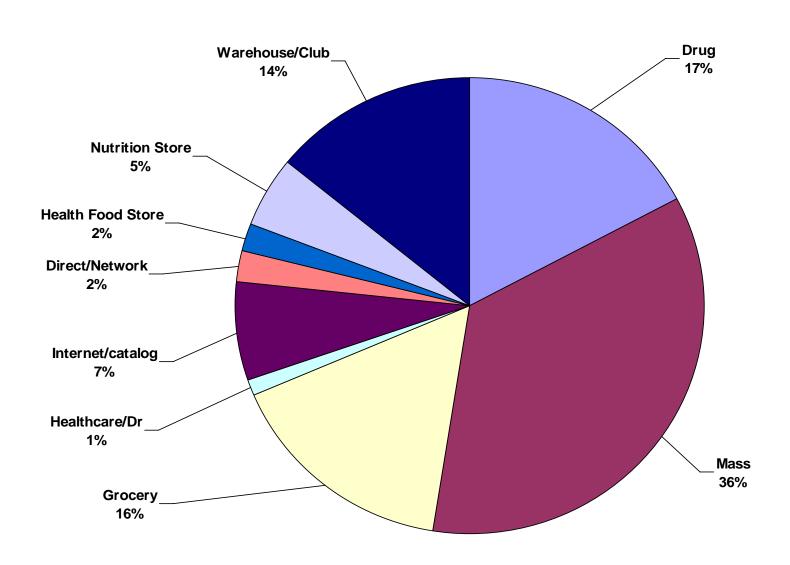
- To provide nationally representative estimates for 22 nutrients in top products most commonly reported by the U.S. population
- To assess variability in specific products based upon geographic sampling plan

## Overview of Comprehensive Adult MVM Study sampling frame

- Individual analysis (estimates) of 35 top products, basing each analysis on 6 samples distributed across marketing channels proportional to estimated product use.
- The top 35 products represent approximately 85% of adult MVM brands according to market share.

### Market Channels for Adult MVMs obtained from May 2006 Market Survey

**Percentage of Multivitamin Purchases by Channel** 



#### **DSID Future Plans**

- Review and analyze nation-wide adult MVM study data.
- Release data as DSID 1.
- Future areas of study: childrens MVM, prenatal MVM, calcium- and Vitamin D-containing supplements, others

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